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Education

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Address - Presented to the Hon'ble the Chief Minister by the Taluk Board, Kollegal - conversion of the elementary school for girls into a secondary school and special treatment in the matter of subsidies for elementary school buildings - notes recorded

L.S.G.(L&M) Department.

Tour address presented to the Hon'ble the Chief Minister by the Kollegal Taluk Board.-

4. The Town Elementary School which has mor than 300 pupils on its rolls, is located in two ren ed buildings away from each other, for want of a - suitable building of our own. A site has already b been acquired for the purpose at a cost of about Rs.5,000/- and the construction of a building could not be taken up for want of funds. We pray that - half of the estimated cost of the building be - sanctioned by Government and the other half by the District Board. Similarly of the 66 Elementary - Schools under this Taluk Board, 46 are located in rented buildings. Unless Government are pleased to accord special treatment to this Taluk Board in the matter of grants it will be impossible for us to increase the facilities for imparting Elementary education on a larger scale. As there is no separate school for girls for higher education, they - are forced to discontinue their studies after the 6th standard. It is therefore very necessary to raise the local Girls' School to at least an incomplete secondary school. We request Government to sanction adequate grants for the building and equipment of a Middle School.

Please put up a note on the points raised herein

B.M. 26.7.31

Rest (Hon'ble)

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Address may be sent to Land Acquisition Asst
Necessary action.

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Conversion of the elementary school for girls at Kollegal into a middle school

Presumably, the existing girls' school is under the management of the Taluk Board. If it should be converted into a middle school, it should be transferred to the management of the District Board. The Taluk Board will have to move the District Board in the matter. Owing to financial stringency, it does not appear that the Govt will be in a position to give a subsidy to the Taluk Board for the Secondary School

Subsidy for elementary school buildings.

The Taluk Board requests that special treatment may be accorded to it in the matter of subsidies for elementary school buildings and in one half of the cost of a building for the Town Elementary school may be met from provincial funds, the other half being met by the Dt Board. In the rules as they stand at present a half grant is given from provincial funds if the other half is

net pain the general revenues of the local body: contributions received by the local body from other sources should be deducted from the estimated cost for the purpose of arriving at the half grant payable from provincial funds. The question whether private contributions may be treated as the local body's share of the cost is separate under consideration. It is not usual to give more than a half grant and no special treatment

In the current year a sum of £7,500 has been provided for subsidies to local bodies for elementary school buildings. No subsidy has been promised to the Talisk Board for payment from this amount. Apparently the Board's scheme for the erection of a building for the Town Elementary School will be ready for consideration with the Budget Estimates for 1932-33. Of any provision is made for subsidies for elementary school buildings in the Budget Estimate for that year, the Board's request may be considered on receipt of the usual application through the DO. The auditor for [illegible] has noted that the provision in the 1931 budget for 1932-33

may have to be cut down drastically and the amount available for subsidies for elementary school buildings is likely to be very much less than that provided in the current year's budget, which is itself very small.

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